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MISSION BELL GARDENS is located on 5600 South Street

One Mile West of the AMERICAN FOOD STORE.

Phone 2-2400

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED to visit our Gardens where over 500 varieties of named Iris and thousands of new seedlings are growing. Our peak bloom is usually during the last week of May.

We will be happy to assist you in making your selection, or to answer any questions. Please feel free to write us.

Our Iris are replanted each year—assuring you of healthy, husky rhizomes from one year plants.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your orders which have helped our "Garden to Grow"! We hope your garden will display great beauty this season, and that each new variety will meet with your expections—

Member of the American Iris Society

Member of The Utah Iris Society

Member of The Rainbow Iris Society

OUR INTRODUCTION FOR 1955 —

WE ARE VERY PROUD AND HAPPY TO BE GROWING SEVERAL "GUEST IRIS" FOR TELL MUHLESTEIN, SOME OF WHICH ARE THESE — 1955 INTRODUCTIONS

- BILL BROWN (Muhlestein) Early-Midseason (Veisha x Casa Morena) x (Casa Morena x Tobacco Road) "The largest coppery-brown iris I have grown and a very smoothly finished self it is." No. 49-40A. Height 38 inches \$10.00

- PRAISEWORTHY (Muhlestein) Midseason-Late (Sky Song x Blue Rhythm) "I have looked on this as a near-powder-blue, however, other experts seem to think it has some violet in it. The flaring falls are the same color as the standards, the beard yellow. A remarkable flower of all-over quality and different to any other blue iris I have seen." H.C. '54. No. 51-22A. Net \$10.00
- QUEEN'S LACE (Muhlestein) Midseason-Late (Clara B) x (Gold Ruffles x Chantilly) Creamy-white done up

- with the heaviest laced edge—so laced, in fact, it is often difficult for the standards and falls to let go of each other so the flower may open. The edges of the petals, the hafts and the beard are light yellow. A very novel personality. H. C. '54. Net.....\$25.00
- UTAH SKY (Muhlestein) Early-Midseason (Sky Song x Gracious Lady) "Cornflower blue that is one of the bluest blues I have seen. The very wide falls have a bit of ruffling at the hafts that give it distinction. Won the Blue class at the U.I.S. 1953 Show." H.C. '54. Net \$15.00

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TALL BEARDED IRIS FOR 1955

ACTION FRONT (Cook '42) Large fiery	BERMUDA SAND (Hall '39) Light cof
red with copper undertone	fee-tan with highlights of gold
AFTER MIDNIGHT (Muhlestein '49)	BIG UTE (Wallace '54) Large well-
Tall rich black purple of excellent	formed deep red. Vigorous grower
form and finish2.00	with wide flaring falls—closed stan-
ALADDIN'S WISH (Murawska '45) Un-	dards on well branched stalks. Dis-
usual large cream with blue brush-	tinctive. Net25.00
ings	BLACK AND GOLD (Kleinsorge '43)
ALDURA (Larsen '43) Beautifully	Richly contrasting variegata. Golden
formed, heavy substanced blue and white plicata1.00	standards, falls of rich maroon
ALLINE ROGERS (Kleinsorge '50)	BLACK FOREST (Schreiner '45) Rich
Rosy-copper blend with a suggestion	silky ebony blue-black. Not large, but
of ashes of roses	very dark1.00
ALPINE GLOW (Kleinsorge '45) Large	BLACK HAWK (Schreiner '41) A true
showy iris of soft rose and silvery	intermediate. Rich velvety black pur-
lilac	ple
AMANDINE (Douglas '46) Large cream	BLACK TAFFETA (Songer '54) Beauti-
self with delightfully ruffled broad,	fully rich—smooth finished dark black-
full form of exquisite beauty1.50	purple self, even to the beard. Ruffling adds to its charm. Net18.00
AMBER GEM (Salbach '46) Large and	
vigorous—of blended rose and amber1.50	BLUE BLAZES (Welch '50) Lovely smooth blue—quality in this one4.09
	BLUE FAIRY (Muhlestein '53) Delight-
ANATOLIA (Craig '48) Onco-patterned light red-violet3.00	fully formed blue hybrid with ruffling
AND THOU (Graves '42) Pale wedge-	in the falls2.00
wood blue of fine form. Blue tinted	BLUE GLOW (Nicholls '45) Rich deep
beard	blue with brushings of brown at the
APEX (Tompkins '47) Glowing red self	haft
of excellent form and size3.00	BLUE RHYTHM (Whiting '45) Very
ARAB CHIEF (Whiting '44) Brilliant	large flowers of silvery blue. Always a dependable performer1.00
broad petaled iris of burnt orange and	BLUE RIM (Larsen '48) White plicata
fiery copper	heavily marked with clear blue. Lov-
bright and very smooth large golden-	ely2.00
brown, with broad petals and flaring	BLUE SHIMMER (Sass '42) Charming
falls2.50	plicata. Blue peppered on crisp ivory
AUBURN (Kleinsorge '45) Lovely au-	white
burn-red with a blaze of metallic blue	BLUE VALLEY (Smith '47) Very near
on the falls	to true blue. Flaring, ruffled and
AZURE LAKE (Muhlestein '52) a new light blue with large ruffled flowers	BLUMOHR (Marx '49) Pale powder blue
of flaring form. Outstanding10.00	of heavy substance and beautiful Onco
AZURE SKIES (Pattison '43) Delight-	form 5.00
fully ruffled light lavender-blue	BRIGHT LIGHTS (Schreiner '46) Yellow
BALLERINA (Hall '51) Pale flamingo	plicata with a white blaze on the falls,
pink of large size with broad petals	and soft tan stitching
and heavy substance	concord-grape coloring. Smoothly fin-
BALLET DANCER (Kleinsorge '49)	1shed
Rich blend of light golden tan and apricot. Lovely ruffled flowers of flar-	BROWNLAND (Muhlestein '51) Ruffled
ing form	tan blend with a light blue flush in
BANDED BEAUTY (Sass '48) Rich yel-	the falls 3.00 BROWN STAIN (Muhlestein '48) Rich
low and red-brown plicata	henna-brown self. A large flower 100
BANDMASTER (Hall '44) Lovely med-	BROWN THRASHER (Kirkland '41)
ium blue. Large and vigorous	Light metallic golden brown
BANNER BRIGHT (Crosby '54) A dis-	BRYCE CANYON (Kleinsorge '44) Fascingting blond of conner
tinct new color. Rich orange-yellow- buff self of very large size and wide	Fascinating blend of copper and henna-brown
parts. Vigorous15.00	BURMESE RUBY (Muhlestein '49)
BELLERIVE (Benson '50) Light creamy	Complete red self with a contrasting
yellow of extra fine quality2.00	orange beard 2.00
BERKELEY GOLD (Salbach '42) Large	BUTTERFLY WINGS (White '46)
deep yellow self. Excellent form50	Porcelain blue with falls heavily lined like a butterfly's wings
	2.00

CAHOKIA (Faught '48) A hint of torquoise in this enchanting blue, enhanced by a lemon colored beard3.00	CONCORD VELVET (Crosby '52) Large well-formed flowers of rich Concord grape purple. Tall and well branched.
CAMEROUN (Cayeux '38) Impressive lustrous rich red-purple	CONFETTI (Schreiner '49) A beautiful creamy white plicata with pinkish
'51) Yellow plicata with heavy brushings of orange-red and cinnamon3.50 CAPITOLA (Reinelt '40) Large maroonpurple Mohr seedling	markings
CAROL HARKER (Naylor '51) Fine medium blue with a jaunty flare. A unique infusion of gold in the throat creates a novel effect	lovely. Net
CAROLINE JANE (DeForest '51) Large ruffled blue and white plicata of exquisite charm	COPPER GLOW (Douglas '45) Bright coppery brown—brilliant
CASA MORENA (DeForest '43) Rich glowing coppery chest-nut brown 1.00 CASCADE SPLENDOR (Kleinsorge	Large well formed glistening copper of metallic brilliancy
'45) Flaring and ruffled. Luscious pinkish tan and apricot blend 1.50 CATHEDRAL BELLS (Wallace '53)	ruffled flower of tan with a rich copper overlay
Tall wide light pink with serrated edges and flaring falls	silky rose-copper
Large heavily ruffled light blend. A rich combination of color. Net15.00 CHAMOIS (Kleinsorge '44) A pure	Outstanding
chamois self—not a vein to mar its beauty	Tall and large
orchid-pink with heavily crinkled and lacy edges	white blaze on the falls2.50 CORTICA (Sass '42) Yellow plicata with markings of rosy red50
Bright orange-red with a coppery undertone	COURTIER (Hall '47) One of the most colorful of the flamingo pinks1.00 CREAM GOLD (Muhlestein '47) Yellow
shade of greenish yellow. Good form with ruffled petals and heavy substance	standards with white falls edged in yellow
CHEEKS OF TAN (Craig '50) A mallow pink blend with a blue blaze on the falls and a touch of golden brown	amoena with pure white standards and deep violet blue falls edged in white
at the haft	full ruffled marine blue with great depth of color
CHIEF POKING FIRE (DeForest '42) Red with a copper undertone	carmine with brown undertone and a blackish sheen over the petals2.50 DAYBREAK (Kleinsorge '41) A lovely
blue of ruffled form and heavy substance 1.00 CLARA B. (Muhlestein '52) Heavily	apricot gold and pink blend
ruffled white with glistening gold border	coloring
—bright—deep golden yellow	Flaring form
CLOUD CASTLE (Graves '44) Wisteria blue. Flaring and ruffled	sheen
COLOR SARGENT (Hall '49) Large wide ruffled red on tall four-way branched stalks	stance

DISTANCE (Cook '46) Silvery light blue of flaring form1.00	FLARE (Schreiner '51) Brilliant! Orange-yellow standards, falls rich
DOWN EAST (Tobie '43) Very dark purple self of rounded form1.00	red-brown. 1.50 FLORADORA (Hall '47) Flamingo pink
DREAM ALONG (Muhlestein '50) a large smooth blend of deep pink1.00	of fine form
DREAMCASTLE (Cook '43) Lovely pure orchid-pink1.00	new and striking plicata—black-purple markings on clear white2.00
DREAMLAND (Snyder '45) Very large flowers of rich hollyhock red75	FORTUNE (Kleinsorge '41) Large flowers of coppery golden brown
EASTERBONNET (Maxwell - Norton '44) Beautiful blush pink blend edged with gold	FRANCES CRAIG (Craig '52) Perfection in this lovely "Mohr" of grayed lavender-blue
EBONY ECHO (Tompkins '48) Deep carmine red with a blackish sheen. Large broad petals ruffled and flar-	FRANCES KENT (DeForest 51) Creamy pink standards—cool ivory falls with a hint of pink
ing	FRANK PUGLIESE (Lapham '47) A bright red with a slight yellow veining at the haft
lent form	FUCHSIA (Hall '51) A vivid raspberry- pink self with a red beard
formed flower of rich mulberry1.00 EL PASO (Kleinsorge '49) Large gleam-	GALLANTRY (Whiting '45) A heavily ruffled medium blue with wide flaring form
ing rich brown with a golden under- tone	GARDEN FLAME (Sass '41) Large flaring flowers of rich garnet red.
Onco-tall-bearded hybrid of pearly violet-gray with an over-all etching of deeper color7.50	Lovely
ENVOY (Deforest '49) Near black bitone, velvety falls and dark red-toned standards	free of markings
ESQUIRE (Lothrop '45) Rich medium deep blue-purple with texture lines. Lovely form	red beard
EVENSONG (Jacobson '50) Beautiful wide and full form—lilac blue grand-child of Wm. Mohr2.50	rich tangerine beard
EXTRAVAGANZA (Douglas '44) Lovely amoena—creamy white standards and red-purple falls	GLISTENGLOW (Muhlestein '49) Wide heavily substanced white with ruffling
FABULOUS KATE (Muhlestein '50) Huge medium yellow of beautiful flaring—heavily ruffled form4.00	GLISTENING COPPER (Muhlestein '53) Brilliantly gay, smoothly finished flower of rose-gold
FALL DAYS (Smith '47) Brilliant gold and coppery rose-red bi-tone2.00	GOLDBEATER (Kleinsorge '44) A fine deep yellow with large globular flowers
FANCY FEATHER (Muhlestein '52) Brilliant bi-tone plicata. Standards golden tan—falls medium yellow bor-	GOLDEN EAGLE (Hall '42) Sparkling clear yellow with a satiny finish.
dered bright mahogany5.00 FANTASY (Hall '47) Richly colored orchid-pink with bright tangerine	Extra large
beard3.50 FIRECRACKER (Hall '43) Brilliant yellow plicata with vivid red mark-	bordered with lemon
ings	blooming pure golden yellow
cracker—but more brilliant and the markings form a solid border on the falls	that appear to be overlaid with gold dust 5.00 GOLDEN RUFFLES (Taylor '46)
FLAMINGO BAY (Muhlestein '53) Tall well branched flamingo pink with	Smooth wide heavily ruffled yellow. Outstanding1.00
good color and lovely wide blossoms. One of the best15.00	GOLDEN RUSSET (Hall '49) Immense golden russet self

GOLDEN SHADOWS (Rees '52) Extra large blooms of warm white, center	HI-TIME (Hall '50) Lovely golden apricot self with tangerine beard3.00
flushed gold	HIT PARADE (Hall '47) Large flamingo pink of good form and heavy substance
—falls lavender-blue	HOOGIE BOY (Muhlestein '49) Very early. Wisteria-violet brushed with
yellow1.50	gold at the hafts—gold beard2.00 HURRICANE (Craig '49) Large powder
GOLD SOVEREIGN (Whiting '49) The most vividly colored of all the deep	blue flecked with darker blue3.00 ILLINOIS (Hall '49) Very large and
orange yellows	slightly ruffled creamy yellow1.50
ing golden toned brown with flaring form1.50	ILLUSION (Kleinsorge '43) Lovely late orchid pink. "Mohr" blood
GRACE MOHR (Jory '35) Very tall	indiana Night (Cook '42) Rich velvety self of midnight purple1.00
flaring lavender	INSPIRATION (Stevens '37) Vivid mulberry pink Iris1.00
Rich plum and copper blend50 GREAT LAKES (Cousins '38) A flaring	JANE PHILLIPS (Graves '50) Smooth
blue—always beautiful and depend- able	light blue—flaring and slightly ruf- fled3.00
GREENGLOW (Muhlestein '49) Very	JANICE (Schreiner '43) Attractive blue self with broad full flowers
large full greenish-chartreuse white self1.00	JASMINE (Grant '43) Very smooth golden yellow self
GREEN IVORY (Muhlestein '53) Huge greenish-ivory self of very wide pro-	JAVA JEWEL (Deforest '51) Bright
portions 7.50 GREEN MOHR (Muhlestein '51) Large	old gold—lovely and unusual5.00 JOSEPH'S MANTLE (Craig '49) Deep
beautifully formed Mohr type flower of a definite greenish cast with lav-	cream-lemon plicata with all-over brushings of reddish brown2.50
ender flushed falls	JUNE BRIDE (Hall '52) Flaring deep apricot of large size
GREEN SHADOWS (Sass '43) Beautiful sulphine yellow self. Unusual75	JUNE MEREDITH (Muhlestein '54) I think this is my favorite of Tell's new
GYPSY (Kleinsorge '45) Brilliant variegata. Coppery standards and rich	pinks. Beautiful form — heavy sub-
copper toned brown falls	stance. A true pink with charm and personality. Net
GYPSY BARON (Schreiner '42) Heavily marked plicata—mulberry purple on	KANAB (Crosby '54) Tall stately red- dish-brown with heavy substance and
silvery white	flaring falls edged with gold. One of the best. Net20.00
brilliant deep pink—lovely flower with a deep tangerine beard	KATHERINE FAY (Fay '45) Tall ruf- fled exquisite pure white self
HARRIET THOREAU (Cook '44) Love-	KENTUCKY BEAUTY (Carpenter '43) A fine rose bi-color
ly orchid pink with style and individuality	KING'S JESTER (Stevens '48) Unusual
HEATHER ROSE (Hall '50) A new color—pleasing and very close to that	plicata—dark purplish-brown veining on cream1.50
of scotch heather	LADY ALBRIGHT (Muhlestein '50) Colorful rich blend. Standards bright
HEIGHO (Craig '49) Very large hybrid of rich blue. Heavy substance3.00	golden-brown, falls rosy lavender, flushed blue
HELEN COLLINGWOOD (Smith '49) Beautifully different. The standards	LADY BOSCAWEN (Graves '46) A lovely ruffled pure white
are white-tinted blue and the falls are	LADY MOHR (Salbach '44) Standards of oyster-white, falls of chartreuse.
brilliant yellow	Lovely and unusual1.00
Large pale blue with rounded form—flaring ruffled falls	LADY NACMI (Fay '41) Tall white plicata, heavily dotted and marked
HELEN McKENZIE (Graves '50) Pure	with blue
white self even to the beard6.00 HERTIAGE (Hall '49) A flamingo pink	Charming plicata — standards rosy pink, falls edged with pink dots
with a rich pink beard. Good form— lacy petals	LAKE GEORGE (Smith '45) Large semi- flaring rich blue-violet
racy petats	

LAMPLIGHT (Schreiner '44) Tranquil	MELLOWGLOW (Whiting '42) Apricot blend with a flush of pink1.50
beautiful buff blend with an inner glow	MERRY ROSE (Muhlestein '48) Very
LATE GUEST (Muhlestein '46) One of	large, smooth rose-pink self50
the last to bloom—bright red-brown variegata1.00	MEXICO (Kleinsorge '43) Rich variegata. Standards of amber with falls
LATE SUN (Deforest '40) Deep yellow	of glowing brown1.00
with a reddish gold cast	MEXIGLOW (Crosby '53) A large wide
LEADING LADY (Lyell '50) Large ruf-	flaring golden-brown blend with a flush of violet in the falls10.00
fled cream with rich golden edge. 2.00 LEILANI (Washington '43) Lovely or-	MINNIE COLQUITT (Sass '42) Lovely
ange pink, falls attractively veined 2.00	plicata. Wine-purple on clean white 1.00
LILAC LANE (Whiting '48) Delicate toned lilac self—large with flaring	MIOBELLE (McKee '45) Lustrous rose
form2.50	blend
LIMELIGHT (Hall '52) A novel and very lovely Iris—canary yellow blen-	fuschia-red and blue with brown over-
ded with greenish vellow, with a lacy	tones
edge7.50	MIRROR LAKE (Muhlestein '47) Large flaring and ruffled blue of clear color-
LITTLE LAKE (Muhlestein '51) Low growing, small jaunty Iris. True blue	ing
with flaring falls1.50	MISSION GLORY (Hamblen '54) A rich glowing red brown self with lovely
LORD DONGAN (Smith '40) Imposing	classical form and smooth finish. Ex-
and stunning rich violet	tra heavy substance15.00
pink with deeper shadings on the	MIST GLOW (Muhlestein '48) Amoena with white standards and light laven-
falls	der falls with gold reticulations1.50
LOTHARIO (Schreiner '42) Large and tall Iris of Amigo type. Light laven-	MISTY GOLD (Schreiner '43) Clean white and lemon with golden ruffled
der-blue standards—rich velvety pur-	edge
ple falls	MME L. AREAU (Wayman '39) White
orchid pink with smoothly blended	plicata heavily peppered with heliotrope
haft and golden heart1.50	MOHR AND MORE (Muhlestein '53)
MAJENICA (Cook '41) An enticing sal- mon-tinted pink blend	Very heavily substanced rich purple self with a tendency to make four or
MAROON DAMASK (Kleinsorge '46)	five standards and falls
Large ruffled flowers of rich velvety maroon	MOHRDYKE (Aylett '46) Old silvery
MARQUITA (Cayeaux '31) Ivory yellow	blue definitely showing its "Mohr" blood5.00
standards, rose colored falls	MOHRESQUE (Keith '50) Standards
MARY RANDALL (Fay '51) Smooth self of rich deep orchid with a full	light brown—falls yellowish-buff at edges deepening to near chartreuse at
tangerine beard	hafts with all-over purple flecking 2.00
MARY VERNON (McKee '42) Fine var-	MOHR GLORIOUS (Muhlestein '52)
iegata—golden standards and ruby red falls	Very rich mulberry red with large flowers and extremely broad petals.
MASTER CHARLES (Williamson '44)	Extra heavy substance15.00
Deep glowing mulberry purple with a velvety finish	MOHRSON (White '35) Immense deep violet. Wm. Mohr seedling
MATTIE GATES (Sass '46) Brilliant	MOHR VELVET (Muhlestein '52) Very
white and gold combination3.00	large flower of tailored form in a
MAY HALL (Hall '54) Clean clear	smooth medium yellow. Very velvety finish3.50
bright flamingo pink with a vivid beard. Said to be Mr. Hall's best	MONADNOCK (Salback '37) Very late
pink. Net25.00	—large showy lavender-rose
MAYTIME (Whiting '50) Lovely pink	MOONLIGHT MADONNA (Sass '43) Clear lemon-yellow self
bi-color. Silvery lilac-pink standards, falls of deep orchid-pink9.00	MOONLIGHT SERENADE (Naylor '52)
MELODY LACE (Muhlestein '46) Prim-	Huge warm white with lemon-cast undertones. Tall well branched stalks
rose plicata edged lavender-pink.	hold the ruffled flowers in perfect
Beautiful ruffled buds	placement 6.00
MELODY LANE (Hall '49) Lovely ruf- fled flowers of rich golden-apricot	MOONLIGHT SONATA (Stevens '46) Beautiful lime-yellow. Different —
with a red beard3.50	late

MOONITE CEA (Come 140) A 171	ORGINIA DIIMMING COLO
MOONLIT SEA (Sass '43) A striking	ORCHID RUFFLES (Schreiner '54)
novelty. Yellow heavily brushed with	Beautiful true lavender with lacy
blue	ruffling and shimmering texture 10.00
MORNING MELODY (Becherer '48) Al-	OREGON TRAIL (Kleinsorge '43) A
luring, smooth lavender-pink with a	stunning rich golden tan
white beard. Scented2.00	ORELIO (DeForest '47) Large flaring
MOROCCO ROSE (Loomis '37) Entranc-	red of silken finish 1.00
ing blend of warm rose-pink	ORMACO (Kleinsorge '42) Rich purple
MOUNT CLOUD (Miliken '36) Lovely	with copper undertones. Heavy sub-
large white with plenty of sub-	stance
stance	
MOUNT TIMP (Muhlestein '45) Large	ORMOHR (Kleinsorge '37) Silvery lilac-
mount fine (Muniestein 45) Large	lavender seedling of Wm. Mohr50
plicata of deep cream with old rose	OVERTURE (Hall '44) One of the first
edge and speckling	of the "Flamingo Pinks"1.00
MT. McKINLEY (Schreiner '47) Splen-	OZONE (Sass '35) Distinctive and orig-
did amoena. Pure white standards—	inal. Pearly mauve and rose-laven-
blue falls	der50
MULBERRY ROSE (Schreiner '41)	PACEMAKER (Lapham '50) A large
Large flowers of rich mulberry with	red of excellent form. Very rich and
brown at the haft	showy3.00
NATIONAL WHITE (Weed '44) Huge	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
white that always makes a good show-	PAGEN PRINCESS (Douglas '48) Pink
ing	bi-tone. Light lavender standards and
NEW ADVENTURE (Muhlestein '54)	deep violet pink falls with a tanger-
New and different is this pink plicata	ine beard2.00
with a tangerine beard. Large flowers	PALOMINO (Hall '52) A suggestion of
of excellent substance placed on a	pink in the standards of this levely
tall, well branched stalk	iris—the falls pale ivory with an am-
NEW HODE (D.f. 120)	ber-copper band around the edge.
NEW HOPE (Deforest '50) Large	Brilliant red beard12.00
plicata with gleaming white ground	PARADISE PINK (Lapham '50) Large
and wide border of violet 3.00	wide pink that holds its color. Flaring
NEW HORIZON (Fay '46) Rich peach-	form and tangerine beard5.00
pink—falls slightly deeper in color	
than the standards1.00	PARTY DRESS (Muhlestein '51) This
NEW SNOW (Fay '46) Large beauti-	breath-taking ruffled pink has charm,
fully formed and delightfully ruffled	personality and quality6.00
white1.50	PATRICE (DeForest '45) Large plicata
NICHTLIFE (Muhlegtein 249) O	with cream ground and rich lavender-
NIGHTLIFE (Muhlestein '48) One of the blackest we have seen with large	brown edging
and stylishly formed flowers3.00	
MICHE COOP (M. 11 - 120) The state of the st	PEACHBLOW (Sass '48) Rich Cream
NIGHT SPOT (Muhlestein '49) Tall bi-	plicata with peach-pink edging
tone of dark purplish black-flaring	PEG DABAGH (Craig '48) Large hy-
form	brid of medium blue with typical Mohr
NOONDAY SKY (Weed '40) Lovely blue	appearance1.00
with delightful form	PERMANENT WAVE (Williams '48)
NYLON (Whiting '40) Large, smoothly	Lovely light blue of extremely flar-
finished golden-buff infused with tan.	ing form. A bit of gold at the haft
Very early	adds to its charm2.00
OLA KALA (Sass '43) Ouststanding	PHALANX (Schreiner '51) An iris of
intense deep yellow with beautiful	unusual fuschia hue. The falls have
ruffling1.00	a sheen of metallic rose with a blue
OLD PARCHMENT (Kleinsorge '39)	blaze2.00
Lovely ivory-buff with pinkish-tan in-	
fusion	PIERRE MENARD (Faught '48) A fine
ORANGE CREAMO (Muhlestein '53)	highly rated medium blue. Ruffled and flaring form2.50
Flaring orange-apricot self with good substance. Tall and well branched	PINK CAMEO (Fay '46) Smoothly tai-
with wide full flowers15.00	lored pink. Lovely form1.00
	PINK CONFECTION (Muhlestein '53)
ORANGE GEM (McKee '48) Very large	A very deep real pink. Beautifully
deep orange-yellow1.00	formed6.00
ORANGE GLOW (Cassebeer '42) Bril-	PINK ENCHANTMENT (Muhlestein'54)
liant copper-tinted gold	This is the depost pink iris in commerce. A simplete se f with semi- flaring flewers and a bright verise
ORCHID LADY (Salbach '45) Clear	merce. A milte se f viti semi-
orchid coloring with slight blue shad-	flaring flowers and a bright corise
ing	beard. Sensational. Net35.00

PINK FORMAL (Muhlestein '49) Large broad petaled flower of deep fla- mingo-pink with a red-tangerine	RADIENT COMMAND (Muhlestein '48) Bright neglecta, Light lavender blue standards and darker falls
PINK FULFILLMENT (Muhlestein '54) Winner of The President's Cup at the 1954 Comention this levely iris of	BADIATION (Hall '48) Beautiful large broad-petaled flower of deep orchid with a red beard
deep rice bink has large flowers of very neavy substance. le fils flare and are full and round. Net 35.00	BAINBOW ROOM (Sass '46) Gorgeous blend! Standards pale yellow flushed copper. Falls iridescent lilac with border of coppery yellow
PINK LACE (Sass '47) Salmon-toned pink. An improved Flora Zenor1.00 PINK PLUME (Schreiner '51) Very charming is this lovely, broad-petaled,	RAJAH BROOKE (Norton '45) Brilliant variegata. Standards bright topaz—falls bright red
light orchid pink	RANGER (Kleinsorge '43) A large velvety crimson-red of fine form and substance 1.00
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smoother edition of Flora Zenor. Good form and substance	'53) A pink with a raspberry-lavender cast which makes it much pinker than the salmon-toned pinks
large and beautifully formed light shell pink	Beautiful ruffled plicata. Pure white with heavy suffusion of raspberry-purple
yellow amoena—broad petals and ovul form. Standards white and falls of bright yellow	RED AMBER (Loomis '42) Smooth rosy-red with a copper undertone
or rich white with a deep, almost solid border of royal purple	RED VALOR (Nicholls '39) Tall jewellike garnet red with a smooth finish .75 REWARD (Cook '42) Brilliant red with
blend of sunset colors	broad flaring falls
PRESENT (White '41) Exotic flowers of white with close all-over dark orchid veining	rose Iris
gata! Standards of amber-yellow, falls velvety purple with an edge of a lighter tone10.00	RICH RAINMENT (Craig '49) Brilliant rich plicata with a different pattern. Cream ground completely stippled with red-brown markings
PRETTY PANSY (Sass '49) White ground heavily striated with purple. Lovely	RILLA GABBERT (Carpenter '46) Beautifully formed rose and gold blend with a blue blaze on falls1.00
Very deep metallic brown. Of fine form with broad flaring falls5.00 PRISCILLA (Whiting '42) Pure white	ROCKET (Whiting '45) Brilliant orange yellow with heavy deeper orange overlay on the falls
of lovely classical form	ROSE GLOW (Muhlestein '51) A flaring ruffled flower of rose-red2.00
area in the falls	ROSE SPLENDOR (Kleinsorge '47) Rich blend of rosy pink flushed copper
flaring falls	ROYAL SCOT (Hall '44) Fancy plicata yellow with red brushings
dark red purple self. Extremely brilliant and extra clean	standards, blackish-red falls edged with a lighter tone

RUBY GLOW (Schreiner '41) Early intermediate—glossy ruby-red with a bright orange beard	SOLID GOLD (Kleinsorge '51) A good name—probably the richest gold of them all. Large and impressive10.00
RUFFLED APACHE (Wallace '54) Huge blended combination of gold and red heavily laced and ruffled. Stand-	SOLID MAHOGANY (Sass '44) Deep rich glowing red1.00
ards golden yellow and falls a reddish blend. Net	song of songs (Crosby '50) Large beautiful flowers. Standards light yellow—falls creamy ivory with a
ily ruffled flower of rich cream with deeper toned standards2.00	lacy golden edge
RUFFLED GEM (Muhlestein '51) Very ruffled and lacy edged blend of light tan. Lovely	SPANISH PEAKS (Loomis '47) Completely white. Beautifully formed blooms of heavy texture2.00
RUFFLED ORGANDY (Brenan '53) Lovely ruffled flowers of smooth cream with glints of violet. Excellent	SPINDRIFT (Loomis '44) Deep coral pink with tangerine beard
substance	SPLASHES (Muhlestein '52) Mohr-type flower of violet with white splashes throughout5.00
and apricot	Vary dark purple with wide petals—of Mohr ancestry
finish2.00 SABLE (Cook '38) Rich black purple	SPRING CHIMES (Hall '42) Large golden russet self
of excellent form	yellow of globular form—velvety finish
with very heavy substance and a smooth finish. Dark black-purple with red undertones. Net	STAG AT EVE (Muhlestein '48) Large russet-tan sprinkled with gold dust 1.00 STARDOM (Hall '41) Salmon-shaded
SALAR (DeForest '40) Opalescent cream with an overlay of salmon50 SALMONETTE (Sass '46) Salmon-toned	apricot buff
pink with a tangerine beard1.00 SALMON SHELL (Muhlestein '50) A	flushed pale blue4.00 STATEN ISLAND (Smith '47) Very fine true variegata. Bright yellow stand-
self of almost pure salmon with salmon toned beard. Large broad petaled flowers of fine form and sub-	ards and deep red falls
stance	violet blue falls. Large, broad-petaled, perfect flowers5.00
SEA LARK (Muhlestein '46) Large violet blue with a pattern of deep purple on the falls	STORM KING (Nicholls '40) Deep black purple with flaring falls
SHERIFFA (White '42) Tall oncobred of metallic violet and rose	silky finished light violet self devoid of any off color
SHINING WATERS (Essig '33) Dependable light blue	sive bi-color of Amethyst red and darker burgundy
coppery orange blend	violet with faint white network
SKY SONG (Muhlestein '51) Smooth tailored light blue1.50	silvery white standards and deep yellow flaring falls
SKY TINT (Muhlestein '49) A light violet blue of lovely form	brilliant blend of flame red and cop- pery salmon—large flowers with a glistening finish
large flaring white	SUNSET SERENADE (Sass '43) Golden apricot standards — brownish copper falls ———————————————————————————————————
quisite white with a blue cast. Lovely ruffling	SUNSET ROAD (Muhlestein '50) Very large rich golden brown blend1.00 SUZETTE (Knowlton '45) Plicata of
stanced white with gold at the haft.	clear creamy yellow lightly spotted with maroon

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SWEET MARIE (Muhlestein '51) Pure	UTAH CREAM (Muhlestein '54) Large
light lavender orchid with deep tan-	beautifully formed cream with qual-
gerine beard3.00	ity and charm to spare15.00
SYLVIA MURRAY (Norton '44) Beau-	UTAH FIESTA (Muhlestein '48) Rich
tifully formed light blue of flaring	orange blend with strong lavender
form	flush in the falls1.00
	UTAH LAKE (Muhlestein '50) Tall well
TABASCO (Craig '51) Stunning big yel-	UIAH LAKE (Mumestern 50) Ian wen
low plicata with an all-over sprinkling	branched blue—a bit deeper than
of rich orange red6.00	Great Lakes1.00
TAPESTRY ROSE (Hall '40) Exquisite	UTAH SPECIAL (Muhlestein '50) Beau-
blend of old rose tones	tiful delicate blend of peach, apricot,
	pink and yellow. Ruffled flowers of
TEA ROSE (Whiting '44) Lovely rich	lovely form2.50
pink with a faint undertone of cop-	UTAH SUNSET (Muhlestein '51) Very
per	large and smooth blend of onion-skin
TEMPLE BELLS (Hall '52) A glowing	targe and smooth brend of officer-skin
yellow with a blending of apricot and	pink, buff and salmon tones5.00
a rich red beard. Fine form with	VANITY FAIR (Hall '51) Clean med-
heavy substance10.00	ium pink with deep read beard. Superb
THE ADMIRAL (Hall '41) Intense med-	form and substance7.50
ium blue flowers of fine form and	VATICAN PURPLE (Whiting '43) A
substance	very fine deep purple with heavy sub-
	stance
THE CAPITOL (Maxwell '44) Large	
clear white with a heavy deep golden	VELVET DUSK (Schreiner '49) Very
beard	dark purple with splendid sheen, fin-
THE KNOCKOUT (Muhlestein '51) Rich	ish and form1.50
yellow standards, falls a lighter shade,	VERNAL PEACE (Stevens '52) A lovely
brushed with heavy gold at the haft	cool two-toned yellow—the falls a bit
3.50	brighter5.00
THE ODIOLE (Cohnsiner 247) Striking	VICE REGAL (Miles '46) Deep rosy
THE ORIOLE (Schreiner '47) Striking	purple—like a piece of rich brocade .75
variegata with rich gold standards	
and maroon falls	VIOLET SYMPHONY (Smith '40) Wide
THE RED DOUGLAS (Sass '37) A vib-	beautifully formed violet
rant red of rich quality	VOODOO (Kleinsorge '48) Rich varie-
THE SHOWMAN (Muhlestein '50) Bril-	gata blend. Chocolate-tan standards,
liant red copper of wide parts 1.00	rich maroon falls
THE TANNER (Muhlestein '51) A flar-	WEATHER BIRD (Muhlestein '53)
	Large cream ground plicata. Stand-
ing self of bright mustard tan — un-	ards flushed lavender—falls bordered
usual coloring4.00	lavender-tan2.00
THOTMES 111 (Kleinsorge '50) Large	WHITE CINDERELLA (Wallace '54)
glistening iris of golden tan with a	Lovely huge light blue with wide flar-
light bronze beard. Broad petals and	ing falls which are heavily ruffled.
heavy substance7.50	Long season of bloom and lots of blos-
THREE OAKS (Whiting '43) Very	soms15.00
bright blend of rich rose pink and	WHITE RUFFLES (Taylor '47) Wide
copper, with blue flush on the falls 1.00	ruffled white with gold at the hafts.
THREE SISTERS (De Forest '41)	2.00
Variegata — cream standards, bright	WHITE SMOKE (Rees '50) Very large,
red falls1.00	beautifully formed white with blue-
	smoke cast1.50
TIFFANJA (DeForest '42) Lovely yel-	WM. MOHR (Mohr-Mitchell '25) Exotic
low plicata — creamy falls speckled	lavender hybrid with darker vein-
with tan	ing
TOBACCO ROAD (Kleinsorge '42)	WINTER CARNIVAL (Schreiner '41) A
Golden toned tobacco brown with	large fragrant flaring white with a
flaring form1.50	golden heart
TOP FLIGHT (Hall '53) Flaring deep	
rich orange-apricot with a fiery	WISH AGAIN (Muhlestein '52) A large
orange-red beard7.50	fancy plicata. Cream gound with wash
TRANQUILITY (Fay '50) Very fine	of violet-purple
warm toned white with a white	WOODMONT PLUME (Mitchell '52)
beard 5.00	Huge heavy substanced, gay burgundy
beard5.00 TRULY YOURS (Fay '49) Unusual yel-	plicata15.00
low and white combination with heavy	YELLOW TOWER (Muhlestein '50) Tall
ruffling10.00	well branched medium yellow with
TWILIGHT SKY (Fay '48) An exqui-	wide and full parts1.00
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- WHERE TO PLANT. The ideal location for your Iris is a sunny, well drained position. Sunshine at a minumum half days; Iris will not do well in the deep shade. No water should stand in your Iris beds. Raise beds slightly above the level of your garden paths if necessary.
- DEPTH TO PLANT. Place your rhizomes just below the surface of the ground with the roots well spread out underneath so the rhizome is within reach of the warmth of the sun's rays while the roots beneath are in moist (not soggy) soil. Be sure to firm the soil tightly around each rhizome when planting. Follow ordinary good garden practice of watering and settling soil on newly set plants, of course.
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